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'Probe Perhaps Too Quick'—JFK Aide

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BOSTON (AP) — Former Presidential Assistant Kenneth P. O'Donnell, who was with President John F. Kennedy in Dallas when Kennedy was assassinated, said Sunday he is satisfied with the conclusions of the Warren Commission regarding the assassination.

"There has not been any evidence offering a different conclusion," O'Donnell said in what was described as his first public comment regarding the investigation.

He said criticism of the commission report has been directed at the "manner of the investigation" and not at the conclusions.

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O'DONNELL said on a televised interview that perhaps the investigation was too quickly concluded and there "may have been a lack of thorough questioning."

But he added: "I don't recollect seeing any new piece of evidence" which would provide any other conlcusion than that Lee Harvey Oswald was the lone assassin.

O'Donnell said that unless such evidence is brought forth, he feels there is no necessity for a new investigation.

The speed with which the commission carried out its investigation was necessary, he said, because two major problems confronted President Johnson after the assassination — the restoration of public confidence in the presidency and the capacity of this country to deal with foreign nations.

O'Donnell, who was unsuccessful last year in a bid for the Massachusetts Democratic guvernatorial nomination, said that "if all goes well" he will make another effort in 1970.